Lower caseloads (2),

Other suggestions: direct referral to deafblind specialist, streamline purchasing/accountability procedures, improve response time for specialist referrals and adjustment to blindness training, individualize evaluation process, allow aide to work with more than one customer.

Provide training for staff (9) and clients (9)

Staff training to include: information on other disabilities and medical information on diseases of the eye, how to identify resources.

Client training to include: community college courses on job finding, provide training in the home community that includes workshops (job seeking, adjustment to blindness), on the job training at DSB rehab center,

Financial (16)

Increase funding for case services and travel (10), purchase technology (4), provide transportation (2), housing,

Public relations and outreach (11)

List SWB and DSB offices in every phone book (2), provide public service announcements, and place DSB literature in every eye doctor's office.

Other suggestions

Collaborate (6) with other agencies to fill in missing gaps or services.

Expand services (6).

Improve employment related services (5) such as talk with employers on a regular basis, and evaluate and provide training for persons for those career matches.

Provide technology (3).

Provide transportation (2).

Expectations and respect (2) Hold the client more accountable for their actions. They are given too much services for them not to be held accountable for participating in their own rehab case.

Staff need to throw out the excuses of both consumers and DSB staff that have accumulated from the past and begin by treating consumers with respect and